# BAN JOHNSON HERE

American League President on Swing Around Circuit.

### WILL PRISON BOTTLE THROWER

Determined to Wipe Out Assaults on Umpires by Putting Offenders Behind the Bars-Greatly Pleased with the Closeness of the Race for Cincinnati, 11; Boston, 6. Championship-To Leave To-night.

Ban Johnson, president of the American League, arrived here with the St. Louis club late last night.

Mr. Johnson is making a four of the circuit. He spent several days in New York in conference with Clarke Griffith, and dropped off at Philadelphia for a couple of hours on his way to Washington. He is here to talk over some club matters with Ben Minor, secretary of the Nationals, and expects to leave to-night, immediately after the game.

"I am simply on a swing around the circuit," said Mr. Johnson, when seen by the sporting editor of The Washington Rough Game, in Which McGraw Herald, "and stopped off here to take a look at the Washington club.

affair, in which Umpire Evans was seriously injured. We have engaged special council to assist the State in prosecuting the young man who made the assault, he young man who made the assault, and the rough sort, and it is not unlikely that it will be protested by the young man who made the assault, he was no of the rough sort, and it is not unlikely that it will be protested by the case to the sort and the rough sort and it is not unlikely that it will be protested by the case to the sort and the rough sort allow. The Summaries.

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FIRST RACE—Purse; two-year-olds and up; five and one-half furloags. Miss Delance, 104 (Brussell), indeed, because some winners of the field limited, indeed, because the field limited in the field the young man who made the assault, and are determined to push the case to the limit. Our attorneys are of the opinion that we have a good case, and we feel that we have the approval of all representative fans in doing everything in our power to break up the disgraceful tactics which are practiced in certain cities.

"While I predicted at the beginning of the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the distance of the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the season that we would have a great fight for the pennant this year, the race has exceeded our fondest expectations. The Athletics still have a slight lead, but the season that we would have a great fight for season that we have a good case, and we have the approval of all the fight be that allow and the national two miles of the fight of Elway, 13 (Archibald), 3 to 1, won; (Scanter), 13 (Santer), 15 to 1, seasond; Bannell, 18 (Relber), 8 to 1, second; Bannell, 18 (Sconter), 19 (Santer), 19 (Santer), 19 (Santer), 19 (Santer

The Athletics still have a slight lead, but Leach, cf. Chicago and Detroit are so close that Clark, if... there is every indication that it will be the last few days of the campaign before

the championship is finally decided.

"While I have not seen him work, I Stork, 3b... 0 1 1 0 Gibson, c... 0 0 6 2 Willis, p... 0 1 1 1 understand that Walter Johnson, of the Nationals, is a real phenom, and several players on other clubs tell me that they putsburg youngster that has ever broken into the

#### TWO GAMES AT THE PARK. Nationals and St. Louis, and Trinity

and Treasury Play To-day,

Before noon yesterday it was evident that it would be impossible for the Na- National League Flag Is Tucked tionals and the White Sox to play the final game of the series, so the Chicago club packed up and left for Philadelphia, the final game needed to decide the penwhere they open up with the Athletics nant race in a continual shower to-day,

final series of the season at National called in the eighth inning. A triple play Park this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Can- on a line drive to Howard was the featillon will use Walter Johnson, so the ture. Score Idaho boy will have plenty of rest before Chicago, R H O A E Phila,

Immediately after the professional game Trinity and Treasury will play off the tie game in the District Amateur championship series. The game will start at 4:30 o'clock, while Donaldson, for Treasury, will probably oppose Kerr, of Trin-

#### ANOTHER CLAIMANT FOR TITLE Holy Name Challenges Trinity for

Championship of the District.

Now that the post-season games are over, and Trinity is champion, I would base like to arrange a series of games with h them for the championship of the Dis-

The Holy Names, the challengers, have a record of 36 victories out of 41 games District and Maryland, The Holy Names defeated the B. & O. team, the champions of Baltimore, two out of three, which no other team has done, I think A. B. LICKLIGHTER, Jr.

# CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

No American League games yesterday, Larry Lajoie's batting average at pres-The weather is proving a big factor in

The White Sox open their big series with the Athletics to-day.

Nationals against Browns at 2:30 o'clock: Treasury against Trinity at 4:30 o'clock. A benefit game will be played in De-

to win the pennant.

Manager Cantillon and the members of the Washington team were the guests

Juky Atz. Comiskey's new Infielder, is

grow fat on appliause, and cheering is a wonderful stimulant toward making them exert themselves to the utmost and giving them courage to make an uphill fight.

Kenetchy, Murray, Helly, Double plays-Frenche to Kenetchy, Ritter to Cascy, Passed ball—Marshall, Umpire—Mr. Rig. SCHULTZ AT MICH. If rooting will help in the crisis the fans and the more the issue appears to be going against the Athletics the greater hould be the encouragement given them by the spectators. They deserve it for what they have done in the past, if not for what they may do in the future .-

The Pittsburg Dispatch has the followng to say anent rioting at ball games: Don't riot and make a pink-eyed clam ruling that you do not consider correct, The ump is on the spot, also on the job, and ninety-nine times out of every hundred he is right, and you, partisan rooter. are in wrong. The ump does not care ran which team wins; he is paid to deonest, that is exactly what he does. It is a common practice for players to endeavor to place the blame for defeat on the shoulders of the luckless handler of the indicator. I have seen players make two or three costly errors in a game misplays, every one of which cut a figure red in the face simply because they thought the umpire had missed a ball or a strike. Sometimes the kicks made by players are laughable,"

# AMERICAN LEAGUE.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

St. Louis at Washington, Chicago at Philadelphia. Cleveland at New York. Detroit at Boston.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE. YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Chicago, 4; Philadelphia, 1, Pittsburg, 2; New York, 1.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

St. Louis, 9; Brooklyn, 1.

Boston at Cincinnati. Brooklyn at St. Louis, New York at Pittsburg

Philadelphia at Chicago, STANDING OF THE TEAMS

### GIANTS LOSE TO PIRATES.

Plays Leading Part. Pittsburg, Sept. 23 .- Pittsburg beat "Before coming East I was in St. Louis in connection with the bottle-throwing of the last series between the two this race, in a big gallop.

Totals.... 2 9 27 8 1

### CUBS MAKE TRIPLE PLAY.

Away by Champions,

Chicago, Sept. 23.-The Chicago's wor Brown's arm tired after two innings and The St. Louis Browns will open their Reulbach finished the game, which was

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# REDS FALL ON RECRUITS.

Boston Pitcher Proves Easy Victim Before Hanlon's Tribe.

Cincinnati, Sept. 23.-The Reds batted

# CARDINALS TAKE GAME.

New York, Sept. 23 .- Sam Langford, make his reappearance in this country in a six-round bout before the Sharkey Athletic Club Wednesday night, when he scars that were handed out last year. will stack up against Jim Barry, the Chicago heavy-weight. He is a heavy favorite in the betting, although Barry's friends promise to back their man for had hard luck last year, and if we can a goodly sum before the couple meet.

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HORSES RUN IN DEEP MUD

Four Favorites Win at Gravesend, Despite Flooded Condition of the Track-Gold Lady Takes the Albemarle Handicap in a Gallop-Crowd Watches Races Under Shelter.

New York, Sept. 23.—In spite of the pelt ing rain, nearly 12,000 regulars attended the races at Gravesend to-day, the horses running over a track that was partially

looded.

Because of the steady downpour, the Wilkerson, J. Salb, Hunter (2). Time of hour and 29 minutes. Umpire-Mr. Brooks. crowd was forced to watch the different events from the grand stand and the clubhouse, while the betting rings during the speculation were packed to suffocation. Four favorites in seven events got the money, but thousands of dollars were

Handicap for mares of all ages, at a mile and a sixteenth. A. L. Estes' Gold Lady, or a State championship, who went back to 12-to-5 favorite, won This is to be done with the idea of who went back to 12-to-5 favorite, won

### LATONIA RESULTS.

FOURTH RACE—Handlesp; one mile. Leroline, POURTH RACE—Handlesp; one mile. Leroline, 9 (Powers). 25 to 1, won; The Minks, 113 (Farrow). Hope, which was almost dead in the White Sox rooters who

# JAMESTOWN RESULTS.

furlougs. Woolfess, 181 (Cocks), 4 to 1, wor;
Nioless, 163 (Fogarty), even, second; Communings,
Nioless, 163 (Kuhn), out, third. Time, 16345. Katherine, had their own troubles handling St. Louis. ried off all three games. The scores were Kenner, St. Jee, Bessie Wynn, Black Flag, and LuThese, however, were merely the preliminating to lack of practice of

ting Cause Downfall of Brooklyn. New York, Sept. 23.—Alfred Shrubb, the especially as they must wind up at St. St. Louis, Sept. 23.-St. Louis defeated great English distance runner, who is Louis, which team now is going fast and the second former New Orleans player the White Sox have secured recently.

St. Louis Sept. 23.—St. Louis defeated great English distance runner, who is Louis, which ten the White Sox have secured recently.

Brooklyn to day in easy fashion, 9 to 1. having such a hard time to get worthy true to form. George Robe came from the Pelican flock. Ragged fielding and timely hitting on the opponents to run against him, may be Of the fourteen games that the Tigers Freeport, the only Illinois town in the part of the St. Louisians being the cause matched to race Billy Sherring, the Ca- must play all are against tail-end clubs Blow from Young Dever Caused the isconsin League, won the pennant. The of Pasterius removal in the fourth in- nadian, who won the Marathon race at except the four with the Athletics. That finish was a close one with Wausau, the ning. Bell replaced him and the scoring the Olympic Games in Greece. Sherring would look better for them, but for the

# SCHULTZ AT MICHIGAN.

Great Center Returns to Join Foot-

ball Squad of Wolverines. Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 23 .- "Germany" Schultz, Michigan's great center, has hearted. turned up. Coach Yost keeps up the same hopeful smile and hopes to get through the season without the battle

avoid it this year I will be satisfied." he team which he will start out with.

Quarter-Miller, Wasnund, Sullivan, Halves-Magoffin, Ronney, Douglas, Allerdice, Full back-Loeli, Allerdice, Rheinschild, Ends-Casey, Miller, Featherstone,

Kelly to Enter Michigan. Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 23 .- Dan J

"DUTCH" STERZER'S FEAT.

Pitching for Atlantics, Allows Alexandrians No Runs Nor Hits. The Atlantic Club, of the Capital City cague, of Washington, journeyed to Alexandria Saturday evening and defeated the Alexandria Athletic Association in a well-played game by 3 to 0. Sterzer, recently of Martinsburg, pitched great game, holding the Alexandria

atters to no hits and no runs, not alowing a hit out of the infield. Total..... 3 2 21 6 1 Total..... 0 0 21 9

# NATIONAL TENNIS CHANGES.

May Have to Qualify by Winning Preliminary Tournaments.

Philadelphia, Sept. 23.-According to lost on two odds-on chances, De Mund and good authority there is a chance that the national lawn tennis championships may The stake feature was the Albemarie be limited presently to players who must

weeding out many from the field in the

It has been arranged to give the foot- 5 down on par. last season, and are out for the place. 24, gave him a net score of 667. fever, and will not be permitted to play. Hough, 3 up and 1 to play. Harding will Besson, a promising player on last sea-meet C. H. Weaver in the finals for the

a Great Finish.

Weakening Under Heavy Strain of Hard Race for the Pennant.

Il to 10, won: Albert Star, 166 [tans are figuring on another world's sport. cond: Rebel Queen. 99 Mickens), championship series between the two The Commissioners and Bureau started the season of the Departs

either Chicago, Detroit, or Philadelphia, Engravers by good margins, and the

my team deserves some consideration, and should Trinity refuse to play, I will shed up equally strong on Boultes. Score: lain the championship by default.

SECOND RACE Three-year-olds and upward; one and consistent miles. Proteins 103 (Johannessen), 1 to 3, was; Bell the Cat, 168 (Hefferman), 4 to 5, second; Berryman, 101 (Cooks), out, third, Time.

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have the pennant cinched. Detroit has the easiest sebedule of any of the three leading teams. The Tigers English Long Distance Champion have no more games at home, which deof Manager Rapley of the National Thea- Ragged Fielding and Timely Hit- Wants Match with Canadian.

# QUEER RULING BY O'BRIEN.

American Association President Does "Any team that beats Michigan this Not Allow Players to Take Uniforms. American Association were nearly despecial meeting of the club. The coach has practically mapped out prived of the opportunity to make a the local semi-professional organizations this week and next.

thers, President J. D. O'Brien, of th American Association, issued orders to the two minor league clubs not to permit the ball players to use the uniforms of the teams, which acted as a hindrane Kelly, the famous Pacific Coast sprinter, laws here. As there are many semi-prosent word to Ann Arbor to-day that he fessional teams idle this week, Jimmy intends to enter here. Cornell wanted Callahan had no difficulty in procuring him badly, but Michigan looked good uniforms for the clubs, and they will appear as billed,

# guarantees every suit to fit and sat-MERTZ and MERTZ CO., 906 F St.

CAPT. MORROW WINNER. Has Best Score in Handicap Match

nt Columbia Golf Club, Capt. J. J. Morrow won the weekly f the Columbia Golf Club Saturday, his handicap of 14 making him 1 down on

week Bob Forbes, formerly of Yale, and Bar Woodruff, with a handicap of 11; the Army coaches have been laboring and up; one and one-eighth miles. Rye, lery, 6 to 5, won; Purky, 33 (Swain), 30 to drilling them in the real transfer of the rea drilling them in the rudiments of foot. 18, were tied for second place with 2 down. C. H. Buss, with a handicap of 8, finished

and geldings; two-year-olds; five and one-half far ball men a late supper, thus allowing. The handicap match against par the longs. King's Plate, 188 (Noster), 4 to 5, wen; them about an hour's practice daily after former week, was won by former Senator drills. By Sultan's graduation, a new center will have to be found. Philoon at d Stockton both played at the position the course, which, with his handicap of the course, which, with his handicap of the course, which were not score of 607. Fowler, who played tackle in fine style In the play in the semi-finals for th

# HOPE FOR THE WHITE SOX INAUGURATEBOWLING SEASON

Leaguers Get Under Way.

Former and Miscellaneous Downs Erecting Shop Team in Latter.

The Commissioners and Bureau teams started the season of the Departmental Bowling League on the Palace Alleys, and each team had a large following on bold by a roan who is not known as a least that the best American figures are least to be started the season of the Departmental reads as the record is generally regarded as whiting. Cornell: Wrightington, Harvard; whiting, Cornell: Wrightington, Harvard; which is proved by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are least to be supported by the least that the best American figures are

# QUAKER BOXER KILLED.

Death of Young Mees.

Wisconsin League, won the pennant. The jot reasons as close one with Wannant, the ings of this was a close one with Wannant, the ings of the form which Cantillon got Pitcher (class in Ho A E) is also cased. Score:

Trancis, the contender for the flag.

The Nationals' new cleibbonse is also intelly dispressed. Score and aluminum, and the players use aablests of two with this laurels, and his enthughment among new cleibbonse is also intellegating the players use aablests of the little, and the players use aablests of two little, and the players use aablest of two little, and the players use aab It is a hard road, but we are not downhis home, and was committed pending an investigation by the coroner. The pro-

> New York, Sept. 23.-It is stated that although Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge Not Allow Players to Take Uniforms.
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> Chicago, Sept. 23.—Ball players of the Milwaukee and Minneapolis teams of the American Association were nearly deprived of the opportunity to make a prived of the opportunity to make a lathough Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for a race for the America's Cup, is here it will not be opened at the New York Yacht Club until Wednesday night, at a special meeting of the club.
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> Javanese Klacach forcent. 350 yards. The length of the carry on these shots was not especially noted.
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> The longest carry that is generally reprired.

little extra cash on the side by playing Phone Main 3300 When You Return. mer home who desire to have their paper guards the green there and is located 270 When these two clubs booked the sent to their city address will please games with the Logan Squares and Gun- 'phone Main 3300.

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andicap match against par on the links Players Say British Slur on Travis Most Uncalled For.

Awaiting Details of the Topography of Beckenham Course Before Judg- Percy Given, considered the greatest ing Value of Horne's New Record for a Long Drive-Longest Carry Reilly with the squad, by American Made by Hobens,

New York, Sept. 23.-The cabled report Horne, the professional of the Becken- the additional field judge this year more um Golf Club, in England, over the club officials than ever will be needed. Of golfers of this vicinity yesterday, espe- they came, are as follows: Chicago Expects to See Team Make Departmental and Navy Yard by Walter J. Travis of 374 yards, at Gar. for football players, is considering droplen City, several years ago.

been made from a sweet true shot, per- At Minneapolis they have jackrabbit Westerners Think that Athletics Are Commissioners Defeat Bureaus in feetly executed, though details of the stew for speed three times a week. The course are lacking as to whether the regular dish the other four days is leg carry was over level ground. A declivity of army mule, to build up the might readily add considerable distance department.-Chicago Record-Herald. to the natural length of the drive, though Thompson, Georgetown; Berge the length of the roll, 130 yards beyond Princeton; Corbin, the length of the roll, 130 yards beyond the point where the ball first struck, Hackett, West Point; Langford, Trinity; would seem to argue a natural force and Stauffer,

in competition who cannot approach him in his game, many of them men of rather

The record Travis made, which is rather true shot with good force behind it naturally. It happened to land on a level Ker road where the run was smooth and hard. and its phenomenal roll carried it its extraordinary distance.

It would naturally be expected that Robert Abbott or Jerome Travers, who ures. Both of these have repeatedly made drives of over 300 yards. Allen Kennedy Col. is another well-known amateur in this Totals... 631 651 606 Totals.... 780 770 705 of extraordinarily long shots, while of the professionals, Hobens, Gil Nichols, and Willie Anderson are reputed to have made

Fred Herreshoff and Chandler Egan are also ranked as among the best drivers in

Sox will have to win at least nine games to capture the flag. If Philadelphia has a ter lying unconscious for several hours, shots, an average of over 250 yards for the capture the flag. If Philadelphia has a three collapse of Mees put an end to the each drive. The exact distance of none to capture the flag. If Philadelphia has a little luck and, say, wins ten and loses only six games, the Sox will have to win eleven out of thirteen games on the road to get the pennant.

The collapse of Mees put an end to the each drive. The exact distance of these shots was measured, but some of these shots was measured, but some of them certainly exceeded 300 yards, and all of them were so long as to be respectively. The collapse of Mees put an end to the each drive. The exact distance of these shots was measured, but some of them certainly exceeded 300 yards, and all of them were so long as to be respectively.

made the green on the long hole in two Will Open Challenge Wednesday, quiring an average of better than 250 Jim Simp

Phone Main 3300 When You Return.
Subscribers resuming from their sumtent home who desire to have their sumtent home who desire to have their sumtents. carry of a drive. This play, however, is play was down a decline of fully 150 feet depth, which made the drive of a rather reak nature. From where the ball struck Bulkhead

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A mass meeting to arouse interest in betool at Business High School will be held to-morrow.

The rain robbed George Washington of wo days' much-needed practice for the Cornell game next Saturday, Wesleyan - is bemoaning the loss of

ogan Cunningham, whose absence leaves the team without a good punter. enter that ever played in the South, will e at Georgetown to-day to help Dr.

None of the other Middle Western coaches are following Stagg's idea of training the players on vegetables. They say beefsteak is good enough for them. The list of officials for games named of the record-breaking drive of W. H. by the central board numbers 156. With

on which he secured a distance the officials named the better known, of 3sl yards, aroused keen interest among together with the institutions from which the City, several years ago.

The drive, clearing a bunker 250 yards and Coach Stagg can feed the Maroons The drive, clearing a bunker 250 yards on lady fingers and olives if he wishes, from the tee on the carry, must have but none of it for the ferocious Gophers.

RACING CARDS FOR TO-DAY.

FIRST RACE—Pive-eighths of a mile; all ages.

Van M. 114 | Bayon Lark...

Wooltessa 117 | Cousin Frances.

Black Flag 111 | Father Downey... 1

FIRST RACE-Handicap; five and one-half fur

freak nature. From where the ball struck there is a sharp up-grade which prevented the ball rolling any great distance from where it originally struck.

Bulkhead Diamond Nose 115 Townadetta Little Whit. 111 Collateral Princess Pepper II. 100 FIFTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs.